

3. The method of claim 2, wherein the activating comprises one of:

- (a) carrying out an application control on the basis of a function table specifying application control operations according to at least one of a touch event and the detected folding angle;
- (b) when the folding angle between a first display zone and a second display zone is greater than a first predetermined angle and less than a second predetermined angle, activating a first preset application program and outputting a window related to the first application program on the first display zone;
- (c) when the folding angle between the first display zone and the second display zone is greater than the first predetermined angle and less than the second predetermined angle, activating a first preset application program and outputting a window related to the first application program on the first display zone, and activating a second preset application program and outputting a window related to the second application program on the second display zone;
- (d) when the folding angle between the first display zone and the second display zone becomes equal to a predefined angle, displaying one of windows related to a first application program and a second application program in a full screen mode on both the first display zone and the second display zone;
- (e) identifying, when the folding angle between the first display zone and the second display zone becomes equal to the predefined angle, preset priorities of activated application programs, and outputting a window related to the highest-priority application program in a full screen mode on both the first display zone and the second display zone;
- (f) identifying, when the folding angle between the first display zone and the second display zone becomes equal to the predefined angle, preset priorities of the display zones, and outputting a window displayed on the highest-priority display zone in a full screen mode on both the first display zone and the second display zone;
- (g) outputting, when the folding angle between the first display zone and the second display zone becomes less than the predefined angle, a window, which is currently displayed in a full screen mode on both the first display zone and the second display zone, on the first display zone; and
- (h) outputting, when the folding angle between the first display zone and the second display zone becomes less than the predefined angle, a window, which is currently displayed in full screen mode on both the first display zone and the second display zone, on the first display zone, and activating the most recently deactivated application program and outputting a window related to the newly activated application program on the second display zone.

4. The method of claim 1, wherein the activating comprises activating a preset function when the folding angle between a first display zone and a second display zone is changed from a first angle to a second angle less than the first angle and then changed back to the first angle.

5. The method of claim 4, further executing a particular function that copies a content listed on the first display zone and moves the copied version to a third display zone.

6. The method of claim 5, further comprises:

sensing, when the folding angle between the first display zone and the second display zone remains greater than the first angle, a touch event for selecting a content listed on the first display zone; and  
copying the selected content and moving the copied version to a third display zone.

7. The method of claim 1, wherein the activating comprises one of:

- (a) combining, when the folding angle between a first display zone and a second display zone is changed from a first angle to a second angle less than the first angle and then changed back to the first angle, a content listed on the first display zone and another content listed on the second display zone into a single content;
- (b) activating, when the folding angle between the first display zone and the second display zone remains greater than the first angle, a preset first application program and outputting a window related to the first application program on the first display zone, and activating an application program linked with the first application program and outputting a window related to the linked application program on the second display zone;
- (c) activating one of preset application programs according to a change in the folding angle between two adjacent display zones, and outputting a window related to the activated application program on one of the display zones;
- (d) outputting, when the folding angle between the first display zone and the second display zone is equal to the second angle, the window related to a currently running application program in a full screen mode on both the first display zone and the second display zone; and
- (e) outputting a window related to a first application program on the first display zone, outputting a window related to a second application program on the second display zone, and handling touch events occurring on the first display zone and the second display zone in a coordinated way.

8. The method of claim 7, wherein the step (e) comprises moving, when a touch and hold event occurs on a menu item listed on the first display zone and a touch event occurs on a content listed on the second display zone for selection, the content selected on the second display zone to the menu item on the first display zone.

9. The method of claim 1, further comprising:

generating a placement event according to the placement state of the mobile terminal; and  
controlling an activation of an application program or an execution of a currently active application program according to a generated placement event.

10. The method of claim 9, further comprising deactivating, when a placement event is generated, a touch sensor installed on the display unit.

11. A mobile terminal having a foldable display, comprising:

a display unit having a plurality of display zones;  
an angle sensor sensing a folding angle between adjacent display zones; and  
a control unit activating an application program or controlling an execution of an activated application program according to the folding angle.

12. The mobile terminal of claim 11, further comprising at least one of: